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SUBJ: ICAO: NORTHERN CYPRIOT AIRSPACE ISSUE

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1. FOLLOWING TEXT OF PRES/ICAO COUNCIL CABLE 18 MARCH TO MIN/
FOREIGN AFFAIRS/TURKEY:
QUOTE: I WISH TO INFORM YOUR EXCELLENCY THAT I HAVE TODAY
SENT THE FOLLOWING CABLE TO THE CIVIL AVIATION AUTHORITIES
OF CYPRUS, EGYPT, GREECE, LEBANON AND TURKEY. QUOTE. ICAO
HAS BEEN MADE AWARE OF THE INTENDED UNILATERAL TAKEOVER ON
TWENTY ONE MARCH 1977 FROM NICOSIA ACC OF THE PROVISION OF
AIR TRAFFIC SERVICES IN THE NORTHERN PART OF FIR NICOSIA
THROUGH THE CREATION OF WHAT IS DESCRIBED AS ERCAN ADVISORY
AIRSPACE. ICAO HAS URGED THE WITHDRAWAL OF SUCH INTENDED
MEASURES AND CONTINUES TO WORK FOR THIS PURPOSE. THE ICAO
POSITION IS THAT (A) THE ALLOCATION OF RESPONSIBILITY FOR
THE PROVISION OF AIR TRAFFIC SERVICES IN THE AIRSPACE
CONCERNED AS DETAILED IN THE AIR NAVIGATION PLAN APPROVED
BY COUNCIL UNDER AUTHORITY EMANATING FROM THE CONVENTION ON
INTERNATIONAL CIVIL AVIATION IS UNAFFECTED BY SUCH INTENDED
TAKEOVER AS ARE (B) THE OBLIGATIONS OF THE AIR TRAFFIC SERVICES
UNITS IN ADJACENT AREAS OF THE PLAN TO CONTINUE TO COOPERATE
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AND COORDINATE WITH NICOSIA ACC IN ACCORDANCE WITH ESTABLISHED
ICAO PROVISIONS AND OF (C) AIRCRAFT OPERATING IN THE AREA
TO ADHERE TO ASSOCIATED ICAO PROVISIONS AND PROCEDURES. UNQUOTE.
MY EFFORTS TO SECURE WITHDRAWAL OF MEASURES ARE DESIGNED TO
PRECLUDE JEOPARDIZING SAFETY OF LIFE NOT ONLY IN THE AREA
CONCERNED BUT ALSO IN IMMEDIATELY ADJACENT AREAS AND COMPRISE
DIRECT MESSAGE ON TEN MARCH TO HIS EXCELLENCY RAUF DENKTASH

THROUGH UNITED NATIONS SECRETARY-GENERAL KURT WALDHEIM. IN
THE CIRCUMSTANCES I STRONGLY APPEAL TO YOU TO USE YOUR GOOD
OFFICES IN SUPPORT OF THESE EFFORTS. ACCEPT THE ASSURANCES
OF MY HIGHEST CONSIDERATION. ASSAD KOTAITE,
PRESIDENT OF COUNCIL/ICAO.
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